

House Resolution 2024

By: Representatives Lim of the 98<sup>th</sup>, Lupton of the 83<sup>rd</sup>, Clark of the 108<sup>th</sup>, and Olaleye of the 59<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Daniel Campos; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Daniel Campos is a first-generation college graduate and a dedicated  
3 community organizer with Poder Latinx; and

4 WHEREAS, after earning his Bachelor's degree in Political Science with a minor in  
5 Economics from Georgia State University, Daniel has committed himself to empowering the  
6 Latino community through civic engagement and youth mobilization; and

7 WHEREAS, Daniel Campos, a father of two, became involved in advocacy after  
8 experiencing the loss of his first son, Isaac, who passed away 20 days after birth; and

9 WHEREAS, Daniel was a full-time worker, a part-time worker, and a full-time student at  
10 Georgia State University; without access to paid leave, his family faced significant economic  
11 and personal hardship during an already difficult period of grief; and

12 WHEREAS, Daniel had to choose his job over the health of his wife and his own mental  
13 health; this experience highlighted the critical need for paid leave policies that allow families

14 the time and stability to care for themselves and their loved ones during moments of crisis;  
15 and

16 WHEREAS, this experience was the beginning of Daniel's journey in educating his  
17 community about the importance of Paid Leave; and

18 WHEREAS, Daniel has organized community events to educate the public about the  
19 importance of paid leave and mobilized Georgians to advocate for this benefit that would  
20 ensure all Georgians can take time to care for themselves or a loved one when needed; and

21 WHEREAS, he has helped convene community members, organizations, and elected  
22 officials, including leading a press conference commemorating the 33rd anniversary of the  
23 Family and Medical Leave Act and advocate for bills that continue to push a care agenda for  
24 all Georgians; and

25 WHEREAS, since 2023, Daniel has supported Poder Latinx's mission to expand civic  
26 participation and has contributed to the registration of 258 new voters throughout the state  
27 of Georgia; and

28 WHEREAS, he has built strong partnerships with 10 high schools across Gwinnett County,  
29 where he organized voter registration drives during lunch periods, recruited and mentored  
30 new youth volunteers, and created spaces to hear directly from students about the issues  
31 impacting their communities; and

32 WHEREAS, he also led a successful community health fair that connected student athletes  
33 with free health services and sports physicals, expanding access to essential care; and

34 WHEREAS, Daniel has further strengthened civic engagement by leading multiple  
35 citizenship information sessions to educate community members about the naturalization  
36 process; and

37 WHEREAS, in 2024, he supported legal permanent residents through their citizenship  
38 applications in partnership with Asian American Advancing Justice–Atlanta and Mi Familia  
39 en Acción, helping expand access to resources and opportunities for new Americans; and

40 WHEREAS, Daniel has mobilized more than 40 youth students by helping them become  
41 public speakers at community events, organizing class presentations, volunteering at  
42 community events, and leading students to the Capitol during legislative sessions to speak  
43 with their elected officials about issues they care about; and

44 WHEREAS, he has led “Know Your Rights” trainings and community events as well as  
45 after-school class meetings, while also distributing “Know Your Rights” cards throughout  
46 the community to ensure families have access to critical information and resources; and

47 WHEREAS, Daniel has collected and elevated stories from community members about the  
48 issues most affecting their lives, including immigration, paid leave, and voting rights, and  
49 has brought these voices directly to the State Capitol through his advocacy on behalf of the  
50 Latino community; and

51 WHEREAS, Daniel advocated, coordinated, and led a school field trip that brought 60  
52 students and 6 teachers from Shiloh High School to the Georgia State Capitol, providing  
53 students with a firsthand opportunity to learn about state government and the importance of  
54 civic engagement; and

55 WHEREAS, for many of the students, it was their first time visiting the Capitol, and several  
56 shared that they had never imagined they would have the chance to be there; and

57 WHEREAS, Daniel Campos is deeply committed to educating our youth, as they are the next  
58 generation that will make a difference in every election, and through his work, he continues  
59 to break down barriers by providing bilingual education and expanding access to civic  
60 engagement opportunities within the community.

61 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
62 the members of this body commend Daniel Campos for his contributions to the youth in  
63 Georgia.

64 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
65 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
66 Daniel Campos.